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Dated: 9th February 2024

OFFICE MEMORANDUM

Sub: Approved Models and Manufacturers of Solar Photovoltaic Modules (Requirements for Compulsory Registration) Order, 2019 - reg.

Ref:

Vide MNRE's Order of even no. dated 10th March 2023, the Approved Models and Manufacturers of Solar Photovoltaic Modules (Requirements for Compulsory Registration) Order, 2019 (ALMM Order) was held in abeyance for one financial year, i.e. FY 2023-24. As per further decision on this issue, the undersigned is directed to convey that:

- a) The ALMM [Approved List of Models & Manufacturers] for Solar PV Modules, is being re-imposed with effect from 1st April, 2024.
- b) The ALMM will apply as per the Law, only to those projects which are sponsored/ subsidized by the Government. ALMM will apply to Government or its agencies procuring power for its own consumption or for distribution to the people through Distribution Companies. ALMM will apply to Solar PV Rooftops and PM KUSUM; which are subsidized. The ALMM will not apply to projects set up under open access or as captive by private parties. In other words, ALMM will not be applicable for people who set up their own capacity.
- c) Aforesaid order of even no. dated 10th March 2023, inter-alia, conveyed that projects commissioned by 31st March 2024 will be exempted from the requirement of procuring Solar PV modules from ALMM. However, now, it has been decided that the relaxation in ALMM shall apply to all cases where the projects are in advanced stage of construction and the order for the modules has been placed before 31st March 2024. That the plant is in advanced stages of construction and the irrevocable LC has been opened before 31st March, 2024, will be subject to verification.
- 2. This issues in line with the approval of Hon'ble Minister (NRE & Power).

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